



**WISCONSIN LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL  
ACT MEMO**

**2005 Wisconsin Act 265**  
[2005 Assembly Bill 805]

**WTCS Fee Remissions for  
Hurricane Katrina Victims**

Current law authorizes the state director of the Wisconsin Technical College System (WTCS) to allow local technical college district boards to remit nonresident fees to a number of needy and worthy students as long as the total number of students receiving such fee remissions in all districts does not exceed 0.5% of the full-time equivalent statewide enrollment.

This Act authorizes the state director of the WTCS to exceed the 0.5% limit in the 2005-06, 2006-07, and 2007-08 academic years in order to grant remissions of nonresident fees to needy and worthy students who are victims of Hurricane Katrina.

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This memo provides a brief description of the Act. For more detailed information, consult the text of the law and related legislative documents at the Legislature's Web site at: <http://www.legis.state.wi.us/>.